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Wednesday, September 12, 2007

## 2nd person charged in theft of inspector's gadget

A second man has been charged in the larceny of Detective Jonathan Sartin's police radio.

Jared Chase Lambert, 31, of Davis Ferry Road, Loudon, was charged with theft over \$500.

According to the report, on or about August 31, 2007 at approximately 6:30 p.m. Roy Covington took

(see Lambert pg. 3)



Jared Chase Lambert

## Young man busted after dad catches him with daughter

A young Lenoir City man was charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor after the father of a 16 year old girl walked into his residence and found the two engaged in sexual intercourse.

David Marshall Vincil, 19, of Martel Road, Lenoir City, was charged with contribut-

(see Vincil pg. 9)



David Marshall Vincil

## The World by Gus

Be thankful that you don't live in Knox County cause they sure do have a big prob-

lem with the County government right now. All this is stemming from the back

(see Gus pg. 10)

### Verse of the day

*As the valleys are they spread forth, as gardens by the river's side, as the trees of lign aloes which the Lord hath planted, and as cedar trees beside the waters. Numbers 24:6*

### Obituaries

Paul H. Dutton  
George L. (G. L.) Hensley

### Weather:

Today: Sunny along with a few clouds. High 84.  
Tonight: A few clouds from time to time. Low 59.  
Thursday: Considerable

## Wreck sends 2 to hospital



A local woman told officials she thought she blacked out just before her vehicle (left) veered into the oncoming lane of traffic and struck a pickup truck. (see Wreck pg. 11)

## Trucker gets DUI+

A Texas truck driver found himself jailed after police stopped his vehicle for speeding and found he was driving under the influence and on revoked driver's license.

Jose Sandoval, 37, of N. Loop 230, El Paso, TX, was charged with DUI (CMV), poss. of sch. IV and revoked

(see Sandoval pg 4)

## Man nabbed after fleeing scene

Officer Jamie Whitt, LCPD was dispatched to an accident on Hwy 321 and I-40 and upon arrival found the driver of one of the vehicles had fled the scene.

The officer found the vehicle and learned John Martin Lafreniere was involved in the accident and struck

(see Lafreniere pg. 7)

## Deer mortality attributed to EHD

Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency (TWRA) offices are receiving reports of

dead deer in many areas of the state. The Southeastern Cooperative Wildlife Dis-

(see Deer pg. 8)

cloudiness. Highs: in the upper 80s and lows in the mid 60s.

### Wazzup

A big shout out to Jack Revis and Aaron & Kayla McCord!  
Ahh, rain - how sweet it is!  
Brittany who???

### Horoscopes Virgo

(Aug 24-Sep 23)

You're constantly trying to improve your organizational systems, and today you hit on a new idea that may revolutionize your life.

(see Horoscopes pg. 2)

## Lambert

a Kenwood portable radio from Detective Jonathan Sartin's patrol vehicle. When he got to River Manor apartments Lambert got the radio from Roy and took and hid it in the woods behind River Manor Apartments. When the officer went to look for the radio it

was gone again. The value is \$600. Detective Jonathan Sartin LCPD made the arrest.

### Police Beat

Timothy D. Willis, 32, of Manis Road, Lenoir City was charged with assault by domestic violence.

According to the report, Willis drove to his wife's residence to talk with her about

their marriage problems. During the conversation she asked him to leave and Timothy grabbed her hand and told her that if she was done with the marriage she needed to give him the ring and she said no and he began to get irate and she was in fear and started to call for help.

Timothy reportedly stepped on her foot

to keep her there and then head-butted her. The victim finally got free and ran out the door toward the neighbors house for help because she was in fear for her safety and the children's safety that were in the house asleep.

Timothy chased the woman down the street to the neigh-

bor's house where he grabbed her again trying to pull her back to the house. She was screaming and holding onto a tree in the yard. He then let go and she ran up to the neighbor's house to get help and he went back to the house and took one child out and left with her.

After calling for help and seeing him leave she returned to the residence to find her daughter missing. Timothy returned to the house a few minutes before the officers and was trying to leave while officers were pulling up. Timothy was stopped a few yards from the residence. Sgt. Jeff Russell, LCSD made the arrest.

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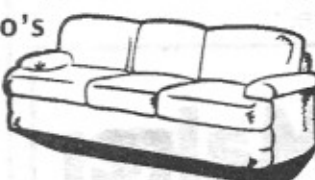
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## Sandoval

license.

According to the report, Trooper Carey Hixson, THP stopped a big rig for speeding 87 m.p.h. in a 55 m.p.h. zone. Sandoval was the semi driver and stated he was tired and unaware of his doings.

Sandoval performed poorly on sobriety tasks, had a revoked license, and was in possession of

schedule IV narcotics without a prescription. Trooper Carey Hixson, THP made the arrest.

## Police Beat

Lea Jodi Bunch, 20, of Kelly Lane, Lenoir City was charged with driving on suspended. According to the report, Bunch was stopped for a brake light out and found to have a suspended license.

Lt. Gillis Morgan, LCPD made the arrest.

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## Obituaries

**Paul H. Dutton**, age 85 of Lenoir City, passed away Monday, September 10, 2007 at his home. Paul was a member of Calvary Baptist Church. He was retired from his own construction business. He was a 50 year member of Avery Masonic Lodge 593 F & AM and the Shriners. Paul was a veteran of World War II serving in the U. S. Army. He was preceded in death by his parents, Rev. C. M. and Freddie Jane Dutton; brothers, Ashley Dutton and wife, Mary, Arthur Dutton and wife, Juanita; sisters, Mary Gustafson and husband, Harry, Ruth Eldridge and husband, Ralph. Paul is survived by his wife of 67 years, Helen Shubert Dutton; daughters, Paul Ann Baker, Betsy Lynn Munsey and husband, Steve all of Lenoir City; granddaughters, Carla Culpepper and husband, Phillip of Knoxville and Lisa Holmes of Oak Ridge; grandson, Christopher Munsey and wife, Cindy of Knoxville; great grandchildren: Briana Holmes, Taylor and Caleb (Bubba) Munsey, Carissa (C. C.) Culpepper; sister, Anna Lee Preston of Loudon; special in-laws: Alyce Proaps, Lucille Greene, Bunnie Walker and R. H. Shubert along with many beloved nieces, nephews and friends. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday with funeral services to follow at 8 p.m. in the Click Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Eddie Click and Rev. Donny Crass officiating. Serving as pallbearers: Fred Shaver, Phillip Culpepper, Lee Roy Dutton, Charlie Henderson, Chris Munsey and Jeff Laughlin. Serving as honorary pallbearers: Deacons of Calvary Baptist Church. Family and friends will gather at Click Funeral Home by 1:30 p.m. Thursday and proceed to Lenoir City Cemetery for 2 p.m. graveside ser-

vices with military honors conferred by the Loudon County Veteran's Honor Guard. Click Funeral Home, 109 Walnut Street, Lenoir City is serving the Dutton family.

**George L. (G. L.) Hensley**, age 77 of Lenoir City, while at home surrounded by his loving family, went home to be with the Lord September 9, 2007. He was an avid musician and loved music, playing lead guitar for a country band, bass guitar for a gospel group recording many albums, and played piano in church. G. L. was an electrician and a long-standing and proud member of the IBEW. He was a television repairman for many years in Loudon County. He was well known and loved by family and friends for his quick wit. G. L. was born April 19, 1930 in Knoxville to parents, Ophia Ann and Howard Hensley Sr., who preceded him in death. He was also preceded in death by his sister, Irene Rinaldi and brother, Howard Hensley Jr. Survived by his loving wife of 57 years, June Garner Hensley; five children: George Hensley and wife, Dora of Batesburg, SC, Theodore (Ted) Hensley of Lenoir City, Rebecca (Becky) Dye and husband Gary, Doug Hensley all of Lenoir City, Carol Anne Hensley Clowers and husband, Jeff of Cartersville, GA; twelve grandchildren: Shawn Hensley, Joshua Hensley, Christa Hensley, Mark Hensley, Mike Hensley, Andrea Hensley, Candace Hensley, Angie Berry, Chad Johnson, Aaron Hensley, Carrie Smith and Jeffery Clowers along with nine great grandchildren. Also survived by his brothers, Ray Hensley and wife, Anna of Friendsville, Roy Hensley and wife, Flossie of Knoxville; sister, Maxine O'Domirok of Lenoir City and sisters-in-law, Patsy Hensley, Barbara Ward and her husband, L. V., Alice Wade and husband, Tuffy all of Lenoir

City. G. L. has several nieces, nephews and many friends. The family will receive friends from 5 to 7 p.m. Tuesday followed by funeral services at 7 p.m. in the Click Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Don Acton of Coalfield Presbyterian Church officiating. Family and friends will gather at Click Funeral Home by 9:30 a.m. Wednesday morning and proceed to Lakeview Cemetery for 10 a.m. graveside services. Click Funeral Home, 109 Walnut Street, Lenoir City is serving the family of G. L. Hensley.

### Police Beat

Jackie Eugene Jones, 48, of Vale St., Loudon, was charged with VOP.

According to the affi-

davit, Jones was convicted of attempt to obtain drugs by fraud and sentenced to probation for 2 years.

Since then he has been arrested for VOP for failure to report; failed to report arrest; failed to pay su-

pervision fees, owes \$90 and failed to pay \$1164.50 in criminal court costs; and failed to submit to DNA testing with the Health Department.

Deputy John Wilson, LCSD made the arrest.

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another vehicle then left the scene. He was stopped by THP.

John Martin Lafreniere, 45, of Cheltenham Drive, Knoxville, was charged with DUI 1st, poss. of legend drug, leaving the scene of an accident and failure to provide proof of insurance. Officer Jamie Whitt, LCPD made the arrest.

Heraclio Vargis, 35, of Cunningham Road, Knoxville, was charged with driving on revoked.

Jorge L. Morales Torres, 21, of Southridge Drive, Willimantic, CT, was charged with driving on suspended, speeding and failure to provide proof of insurance.

According to the report, Officer Jamie Whitt, LCPD observed Torres on Broadway near K Street at 42 m.p.h. in a 30 m.p.h. zone and stopped him.

no insurance. Officer Jamie Whitt, LCPD made the arrest.

Lisa Lannell Spires, 31, of Monument Street, Lenoir City, was charged with VOP.

According to the affidavit, Spires was convicted of criminal impersonation and sentenced to probation for 11 months 29 days.

Since then she has failed to report to probation officer; failed to pay costs/fines, owes \$531.50, never paid; failed to pay supervision fees, owes \$135, never paid and failed to respond to notices.

Audly David White, 29, of Brooksvew Road, Lenoir City was charged with DUI.

According to the report, Sgt. Joe Foster, LCPD received a call from dispatch about a possible drunk driver coming into the city and then noticed the vehicle and followed it.

Sgt. Foster observed the vehicle and the driver was having problems driving the vehicle up a hill and was stopped.

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## Deer

ease Study at the University of Georgia in Athens has analyzed samples from these deer. The diagnosis is no surprise. Testing has confirmed that the deer are dying of EHD (Epizootic Hemorrhagic Disease).

EHD is no surprise because it occurs regularly in Tennessee, according to TWRA officials. Some years there is virtually no sign of EHD, and others, like this year, it seems to be everywhere. Reports to TWRA offices indicate mortality of deer in at least 30 counties with more expected as the season progresses.

"What makes this year a little alarming is that the reports started coming in early August, several weeks earlier than usual," said Daryl Ratajczak, TWRA Big Game Coordinator

"We most often start getting the dead deer reports in the last week of August and first part of September," said Roger Applegate, TWRA Wildlife Disease Coordinator. "However, the most important thing for hunters, landowners, and the public to know is that this is a regular and natural event that routinely afflicts white-tailed deer and that it is not transmissible to humans or any other animals. The public also need not be overly concerned about the fate of the deer because any reduction in deer numbers in a local area will easily be made up within a couple of years."

White-tailed deer have adapted to EHD. Does that survive an infection of the EHD virus will pass along immunity to their fawns and foster an

increase in immunity for several years before another die-off occurs.

The EHD disease cycle begins with the virus being transmitted to deer by a midge; a small biting fly that humans recognize as "no-see-ums." The virus causes depression, fever, respiratory distress, and swelling of the neck or tongue. Those deer that survive these ills may slowly lose appetite and/or become lame which could last for several weeks before the deer die or shake off the disease.

"Due to the already stressful conditions caused by the drought, we can expect to see die-offs as high as 40 percent in some highly localized areas," said Applegate.

"Although it is unfortunate, EHD die-offs are part of a completely natural cycle that has been occurring for eons. The deer obviously deal with it, we must deal with it as well," said Ratajczak.

### Police Beat

Jeffrey J. Meacy, 29,

of Hines Court, Lenoir City was charged with driving on suspended.

According to the report, Officer Jeremy Dishner, LCPD stopped the vehicle Meacy was driving for a possible drunk driver.

After talking to him he was not impaired but had a suspended license in the state of Louisiana. Officer Jeremy Dishner, LCPD made the arrest.

Angela Sue Alcorn, 43, of Alcorn Hollow Road, Oliver Springs, was charged with DUI.

According to the report, Officer Darrell Butler, LCPD was dispatched the Foot & Ankle clinic on a possible DUI. The officer

found Ms. Alcorn in control of her vehicle and she could not perform sobriety tasks and was transported to the ER for a BAC test.

Officer Darrell Butler, LCPD made the arrest.

Timothy Shelton, 24, of Browder Hollow Road, Lenoir City was charged with suspended license, speeding and financial resp.

According to the report, Sgt. Eddie Range, LCPD stopped Shelton for speeding and while gathering information discovered Shelton had a suspended license and no insurance.

Sgt. Range made the arrest.

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## Vincil

ing to the delinquency of a minor.

According to the warrant filed by Investigator Lt. Jeff Vittatoe, LCSD, on September 3, 2007 the father stopped by his residence at Loudon Ridge Road. When he arrived and entered his residence he discovered his sixteen year old daughter having sexual intercourse with nineteen year old David

Vincil in his residence.

The father stated he knew David Vincil and had already addressed some problems with his being around his daughter prior to September 3.

The father called 911 and had Mr. Vincil removed from the property.

Officer Mike Hodges, LCPD made the arrest.

## Police Beat

Brian William Burke,

38, of Bowman Lane, Crossville, was charged with VOP.

According to the affidavit, Burke was convicted of DUI 1st, all low unlicensed driver, VOP 1st, 2nd and 3rd and was sentenced to probation for 11 months 29 days.

Since then he has failed to report to probation officer; failed to pay costs/fines, owes \$1012; and failed to

pay supervision fees, owes \$675.

Deputy Rob Lane, LCSD made the arrest.

Gary Brandon Sergeant, 22, of Bryant Lane, Knoxville, was charged with DUI 1st and implied consent.

According to the report, Officer Anthony Lindsey, LPD stopped the vehicle Sergeant

was driving for no tail-lights. Sergeant had an odor of an alcoholic beverage on his person and refused a BAC test. Officer Anthony Lindsey, LPD made the arrest.

Gerald Dewayne Strickland, 37, of Valley View Village Drive, Sweetwater, was charged with VOP.

According to the affidavit, Strickland was convicted of SP, DUI, VOP, DORL and PODP and sentenced to probation for 11 months 29 days.

Since then he has failed to report to probation officer; failed to pay costs/fines, owes \$3354.20 + \$50; failed to pay supervision fees, owes \$320; this is his 3rd VOP.

Corporal Kami Galaba, LCSD made the arrest.

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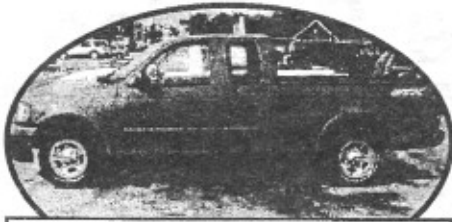
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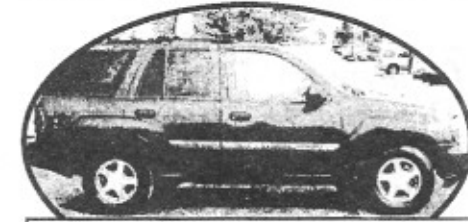
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## Gus

room deals that where made at their January 31st meeting in which they removed nine term-limited members and replaced them with family and friends. Some of the term-limited department heads where replaced and then hired back as second in command.

I guess that old saying that it's not what you know, but who you know has some truth as far as Knox County government is concerned. My hat is off to the people that live in Knox County, though.

I believe that the politicians thought the taxpaying citizens would forget the matter in time, but they haven't. As a matter of fact, the County

Commissioners will be in court in a week or two, learning what the Sunshine Law is about.

I watch as may meetings as possible on TV, not to learn about government, but to see what kind of shenanigans they will try and pull next. This week they are attempting to railroad the County Mayor.

It like an ongoing soap-opera, I call it "Days of Our Lies". Quite a fitting name, if I don't say so myself.

Tune in a tomorrow for the next exciting episode: Will the Commission see sunshine, will the Mayor find his lost receipts, or were they stolen, and heck, they even have a couple of used car salesman to do the commercials. -Gus

## Police Beat

April Nickole Heiple, 24, of Kelly Lane, Lenoir City, Marilyn Susan Berken, 44, of Inn of Lenoir and Victoria Lynn Booker, 24, of Matlock Bend Road, Loudon, were charged with public intoxication.

According to the reports, Lt. John Tinnel, LCPD observed the females in the Wal-Mart parking lot and they smelled strongly of an alcoholic beverage and were unsteady on their feet. Lt. John Tinnel, LCPD made the arrest.

Alfredo Muniz, 40, of Ash Avenue, Lenoir City, was charged with public intoxication.

According to the report, Deputy Rob Lane, LCSD went to the visitation window

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to speak to a Hispanic male about his friend doing reprog time.

At the window Muniz had a strong smell of an alcoholic beverage on his person and was unsteady on his feet. Deputy Rob Lane, LCSD made the arrest.

Abraham Chavarria Duran, 38, of Nicholasville Road, Lexington, KY was charged with driving without a license.

According to the report, Officer Bennie Houser, LPD observed a red vehicle sitting in the parking lot of the shell. The officer made contact with Mr. Duran and he stated he stopped to take a nap.

A check showed

him to be unlicensed. Officer Bennie Houser, LPD made the arrest.

Nelson Figueroa, 25, of Old Loudon Pike, Lenoir City was charged with no driver license, speeding, and financial resp.

According to the report, Sgt. Eddie Range, LCPD stopped the vehicle Figueroa was speeding and he stated he had no license or insurance. Sgt. Eddie Range, LCPD made the arrest.

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**Lenoir City, Tennessee 37771**

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All bidders must be licensed Contractors as required by the Contractors Licensing Act of 1994, as amended (TCA Title 62, chapter 6). No Bid will be opened unless the outside of the sealed envelope containing the Bid has the Bid Contractor Cover Sheet. The Bid Contractor Cover Sheet is provided as Attachment A of the Instruction to Bidders. The Cover Sheet should be completed in its entirety and securely attached to the Bid envelope. In Case of joint ventures, each party must complete its own Cover Sheet.

All Bids must be made out on the bid form provided with the Bidding Documents. The successful bidder shall be required to execute performance and payment Bonds in such amounts as required by state law for all labor and materials, furnished by the bidder and which are used by the bidder (or the bidder's permitted Subcontractors) in performing the Work. No bidder may withdraw his Bid within sixty (60) days after the actual opening date of the Bid.

It is bidder's responsibility to determine if sales and/or use taxes are required to be paid on the Work and/or any materials to be used therein and to what extent, and to take appropriate steps to obtain exemption certificates or such other documentation from the Tennessee Department of Revenue that may be necessary to qualify for any available exemptions from such taxes. If sales and/or use taxes are required to be paid in connection with the Work, then all such taxes must be included in the Bid. On the other hand, if such taxes are included in the Bid, but are found by **LCUB** not to have been required to be paid, then **LCUB** shall deduct such taxes from the Contract Price.

Owner: **Lenoir City Utilities Board, Lenoir City, Tennessee 37771**

**Purchasing Agent**

## Wreck

On Monday, September 10th rescue workers responded to a report of a wreck with injury on Meyers Rd. in Lenoir City.

According to witnesses a GMC driven by Ms. Peggy Fields swerved into the oncoming lane and struck a pickup truck driven by Mr. William Harris III. Mr. Harris swerved into a ditch in order to try to avoid the impact.

Upon arriving at the scene Rural Metro Ambulance service EMS workers discovered that 37 yr. old Fields of W. Broadway and Harris, also from Lenoir City, had been involved in a collision.

Ms. Fields informed rescuers she thought she had blacked out just before the wreck. Ms. Fields was transported via ambulance to Park West Medical Center for evaluation.

Mr. Harris was also transported to Park West Medical Center for evaluation of a leg injury.

Tennessee State Trooper T.S. "Hawk" Holcomb took over the investigation of the accident from the Loudon Co. Sheriff's office. No charges had been filed at the time of the report.

## Police Beat

Samantha Gail Cooper, 25, of Wooddell Street, Maryville, was charged with VOP.

According to the affidavit, Cooper was convicted of simple poss., driving while impaired and VOP x2 and was sentenced to probation for 11 months 29 days.

Since then she has failed to report to probation officer; failed to pay costs/fines, owes \$1631.50; failed to pay supervision fees, owes \$482.50; and this is her 3rd VOP.

Deputy Daniel Ferguson, LCSD made the arrest.

Kevin Willie Winston, 39, of Locust St., Lenoir City, was charged with criminal court capias' for one count of sell of cocaine and 2 counts of sale of cocaine.

Deputy Bobby Hamilton, LCSD made the arrest.